

Morning Forecast, Wednesday April 27

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The stratiform rain over northern OK has moved out of the area late this morning as the surface low has tracked eastward in to Arkansas. Strong northerly winds have come in behind the front and will continue to clear as the clouds break up later this afternoon. The upper-trough will continue its eastward progression as an upper ridge and high pressure move in over our region later this week.

Later this weekend chances of precipitation increase as a surface front sets up across OK Saturday and an upper level trough digs in over the inter-mountain west. The GFS is leaning towards a late night into early Sunday morning event.

Forecasts

Time of Day:

Morning

Day 0:

04/27/2011

Forecast for Day 0:

The rain has moved out of the SGP region by 15Z this morning. Strong northerly winds post frontal will persist this afternoon as clouds continue to break. Clearing out will be the story for the next few days.

Day 1:

04/28/2011

Forecast for Day 1:

An upper ridge will build in over the Rockies Thursday, and high pressure dominating our region. Winds at the SGP will slowly progress from NW to southerly as clear and dry conditions persist.

Day 2:

04/29/2011

Forecast for Day 2:

The next upper level trough will begin digging over the Pacific Northwest Friday, while the SGP region will see strong southerly winds and warming during the day.

Extended Outlook:

A surface front will reach central OK Saturday afternoon. As it looks to remain fairly well capped over the region Saturday, there still will remain a chance of showers and storms Saturday night into Sunday morning as the upper level trough sits over the Rockies.

Attached files:

1. [MC3E Weather Briefing 20110427.ppt](#)